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FM AMEMBASSY QUITO
TO SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE 4714
INFO AMCONSUL GUAYAQUIL

C O N F I D E N T I A L QUITO 1615

E.O. 11652: GDS
TAGS: PFOR, EFIS, PLOS, EC, US, CASC
SUBJ: SEIZED U.S. VESSELS: INCIDENT ON NEPTUNE

REF: GUAYAQUIL 400

1. NAVATT SPOKE WITH CHIEF OF STAFF SORROSA, ECUADOREAN NAVY, MORNING MARCH 7TH TO URGE THAT NEPTUNE BE ORDERED FROM SALINAS TO MANTA. SORROSA SAID HE DID NOT THINK THIS WOULD BE ANY PROBLEM AND NAVATT'S IMPRESSION WAS THAT ORDER LIKELY TO BE ISSUED TODAY.

2. BOTH NAVATT IN CONVERSATION WITH SORROSA AND POLCOUNS IN SUBSEQUENT CONVERSATION WITH FOREIGN OFFICE TERRITORIAL SOVEREIGNTY OFFICIAL DR. HERBAS HAVE IMPRESSED UPON THEM THAT ANY PROCEEDINGS AGAINST 3 DETAINED CREWMEN WOULD SERIOUSLY COMPLICATE MATTERS AND BE VIEWED WITH UTMOST GRAVITY BY US. SORROSA WAS NONCOMMITTAL IN THIS REGARD BUT HERBAS SAID HE UNDERSTOOD OUR POINT PERFECTLY AND WOULD RAISE MATTER IMMEDIATELY WITH ACTING FOREIGN MINISTER.

3. IN THE MEANWHILE, EMBASSY RECOMMENDS THAT DEPARTMENT ALSO PROMPTLY CONVEY OUR CONCERN OVER THE 3 DETAINED SEAMEN WITH
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AMBASSADOR CARDENAS.

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